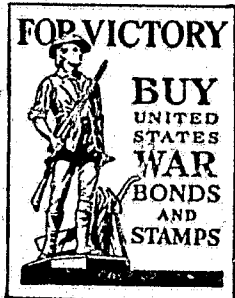


# The BETHEL OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN

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## NORWAY GIRL KILLED IN SNOW FALLS AUTO SMASH

Gilda Wood, 14 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood of Norway Lake, died early Sunday morning at the Norway hospital from injuries received when the car in which she was riding crashed a tree at Snow Falls. Amos Heikkinen, owner and driver of the car, suffered a concussion and Helvi Piirainen of East Oxford received cuts and bruises. The party was returning from a dance at Milton.

## BUCK—WHITMAN

Clarence W. Buck and Mrs. Marion A. Whitman, both of Norway, were married in Lewiston June 18 by Dr. Percy L. Vernon, using the double ring service.

Mrs. Buck is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Andrews of Norway, a graduate of Norway High School, and for the past two years has been employed in the office of the Advertiser Democrat. She is a former resident of Bethel and has many friends here.

Mr. Buck is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Buck. He is a graduate of Norway High School and is manager of the Norway Farmers' Union store. They will reside in Norway.

## INJURED WHEN THROWN FROM MOTORCYCLE

Harold Lurvey was thrown from his motorcycle at 8:30, Tuesday evening, below the home of Paul Thurston in Mayville. It is said that a dog ran into the road and hit the front wheel of the motorcycle. Mr. Lurvey was taken to the Rumford Community Hospital where the middle finger of his right hand was removed and he was treated for several severe cuts and bruises. He returned to the home of Charles Bartlett at Hanover, Wednesday. The dog was killed in the accident.

Miss Rachel Gordon has gone to Camp Makarla, Nobleboro, where she will spend the summer.

## TWO W. PARIS PEOPLE HEAD STATE GROUPS

Mrs. Fannie L. Cummings of West Paris, Past President of Jackson-Silver Unit, was unanimously elected President of the American Legion Auxiliary, Department of Maine, at the annual convention at Old Orchard. Oxford County has been honored twice before in this way, Past Presidents of the Auxiliary being Mrs. Hazel Conery of Norway and Mrs. Alice Bradley of Rumford. Mrs. Cummings has held many important offices in her own Unit and in the Department, has been very efficient and cooperative, and deserves the honor which has been given her. She was presented with an evening bag and bouquet by the members of the Jackson Silver Post and Unit and friends. She presided on Saturday night at the banquet held at the Vesper Hotel in honor of the National President, Mrs. Murrill, and on Sunday had a place on the reviewing stand with the Governor and Department officers of the Legion and Auxiliary.

Oxford County Commander Conrad Lamb of West Paris was appointed a member of the Executive Committee of the American Legion Department of Maine.

The town of West Paris has been further honored recently by the election of Harold H. Gammon to the office of Department Commander of the United Spanish War Veterans, State of Maine.

## RUMFORD MAN DROWNED

Ernest Alpheus Banker, a woodsman of Rumford, was drowned Sunday afternoon while swimming in Ellis River near Hanover. He was an excellent swimmer but apparently suffered cramps or a heart attack. The body was recovered an hour later and a pulmotor from Rumford used in an attempt to revive him.

Mr. Banker was 50 years old and a World War veteran.

## CHARLES A. AUSTIN

Charles A. Austin died Wednesday afternoon at the home of Henry Boyker, where he had been taken that morning after he was found seriously ill at his home on Main Street. He had been a resident of Bethel the past six years, being proprietor of the Bethel Auction Co.

He was born in Belgrade Sept. 16, 1863, the son of Alexander and Fannie Grant Austin. As a young man he was employed in the West for several years in mining, railroad construction and as trainman. After returning East he traveled for some time, representing the International Harvester Co., and later conducted a store and auction business at Mechanic Falls. Before coming here in 1936 he was a resident of the Odd Fellows Home at Auburn for some time. Mr. Austin's enterprise here, started as a second hand store, expanded to include an extensive stock of hardware and allied lines in which he enjoyed a good patronage.

Mr. Austin married Miss Sarah Jordan who died about 12 years ago. He was a member of Nesim Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Buckfield.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Emma Libby of Woodfords, and a nephew, Alvy Willey of Berwick.

Funeral services will be held at the Greenleaf funeral home Friday morning at 11:15, Rev. M. A. Gordon officiating. Burial will be at Turner Center.

## BETHEL'S SCRAP RUBBER DRIVE NETS OVER 19 TONS

A total of 38,820 pounds of scrap rubber was brought in to Bethel garages during the scrap rubber campaign which ended June 30.

Forty-nine young men appeared at Odeon Hall Monday for the Selective Service registration.

Mrs. Custer Quimby of Raymond, N. H., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Hall.

## LOCAL APPLICATIONS FOR CANNING SUGAR

Registration for canning sugar takes place in Bethel at Odeon Hall today and Friday, July 2, from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Local deputy rationing boards have been organized in Oxford County so that applications for canning sugar may be made out in every town. This eliminates the need of going to Norway or Rumford to apply. Rationing days are Thursday, July 2, and Friday, July 3. The place in each town will be decided upon by the local registrars and selectmen. In most cases it will be the place where sugar rationing took place two months ago.

The deputy rationing boards consist of a deputy registrar, an assistant deputy registrar and helpers. Norway and Rumford apply at the local board. Boards in towns in this vicinity are: Woodstock, Mrs. Miriam McAllister and Mrs. Ann Jordan; Greenwood, Mrs. Florence Ring and Mrs. Emma Day; Albany, Mrs. Ernest Brown and Mrs. Harlan Bumpus; Stoneham, Mrs. Sarah Grover; Lovell, Stow and Sweden, Mrs. Hallie Harriman and Mrs. Edna Heim; Waterford, Mrs. Amy Hubbard and Mrs. Ann G. Pike; Newry, Mrs. Susan E. Wight and Mrs. Ida Wight; Bethel, Mrs. Ida Packard and Mrs. Iola Forbes; Upton, Mrs. Alice Hinckley and Mrs. Jennie Judkins.

The local registrars at present handle only the rationing of canning sugar. Bring this information along with you: (1) Names of individuals in family and serial number of the war rationing books held by each; (2) Number of quarts of fruit canned last year. List kinds and number of quarts canned; (3) Number of quarts and kinds of fruit on hand; (4) Number of quarts and kinds to be canned; (5) How much sugar for jams, sweet pickles, etc. (1 lb. per person per year); (6) Amount of sugar on hand. One pound of sugar is allowed for every 4 qts. of fruit canned. If you do a lot of canning, about the maximum amount of fruit canned per person is 36 qts. which would require 9 lb. sugar. Be sure your requirements are estimated correctly. Applications will be considered at the county boards and your sugar purchase certificate will be sent by mail from the Norway or Rumford Rationing Board.

## BETHEL CONTRIBUTES LIGHTLY TO USO

The response to the appeal for funds for the support of the United Service Organizations indicated a surprising lack of interest in this work which is aimed to contribute to the morale and welfare of the nation's armed forces. The canvass was made locally by the young people who worked faithfully, receiving an average contribution of much less than half a dollar. The total for the village is boosted much by one \$25 gift, while other sections did more than their proportionate part. Amounts were:

Bethel village	\$60.08
Mayville	6.75
Skillington	4.40
Middle Intervale	9.30
South Bethel road	11.70
East Bethel	9.97
West Bethel	4.55

\$116.75

The canvass and collection were planned and carried out very efficiently by Mrs. Doris Lord, Miss Maxine Clough, and assistants.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Merrill and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Allen spent the week-end at Howard's Pond.

## REGISTRATION FOR GASOLINE RATIONING

The places and time for gasoline registration in Bethel are as follows:

Bethel Grammar School, Thursday and Friday, July 2 and 3, 8-8 p. m.  
West Bethel School, Thursday, July 2, 3-8 p. m.  
East Bethel School, Thursday, July 2, 3-8 p. m.  
South Bethel School, Thursday, July 2, 4-8 p. m.; Friday, July 3, 6-8 p. m.  
Northwest Bethel School, Friday, July 3, 5-8:30 p. m.

## DELINQUENT REGISTRANTS

The following named registrants have been reported by Local Board No. 2 of Rumford as delinquent for the reasons set opposite their names:

Walter (none) Baron, Order No. 10074. Failed to complete and return questionnaire.

Silton Francis Williams, Order No. 11089. Failed to complete and return questionnaire.

Stephen (none) Rollins, Order No. 10131A. Failed to complete and return questionnaire.



## NEWS FROM OUR PEOPLE IN THE U. S. ARMED FORCES

Pvt. Kenneth Brooks has been transferred to Lockbourne, Ohio, from Panama City, Fla.

Charles Anderson is at the Navy training station at Newport, R. I.

Pvt. Winfield J. Robertson, son of Mrs. Sadie Robertson, is stationed at Miami Beach, Fla.

Pvt. Leroy Bennett Jr. was home over the week-end from Fort Monmouth, N. J., where he has completed an eight weeks' course in a mechanics school.

Sgt. Stanley Gallant and Pvt. Stanley Carter arrived home this week from Camp Shelby, Miss., for a several days furlough.

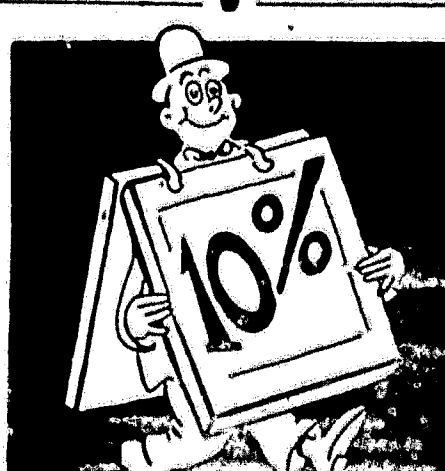
Promotions  
Richard Young has been promoted to Corporal. He is a bugle instructor at Camp George G. Meade, Md.

Vernon Brown, who is stationed at Fort Williams, has been promoted to Sergeant Technician.

James Ryerson, son of Mrs. H. E. Merrill of East Bethel, who is stationed at Camp Shelby, Miss., has been promoted to Corporal Technician.

Sergeant Earle H. Jordan Jr., formerly of West Bethel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earle H. Jordan of Auburn, has been chosen to attend Officers' Training School at Fort Benning, Ga.

Word has been received that Pvt. John R. King of Fort Jackson, S. C., was promoted to Corporal June 20.



**Ten Per Cent OF YOUR INCOME should be going into U.S. War Bonds and Stamps**

**Official U. S. Treasury**  
**War Bond Quotas**  
**FOR JULY**  
**and May War Bond Scoreboard**  
38 States Top Quota; 10 States and District of Columbia Fall Short  
(June Sales to be published soon)

State	July Quota	May Sales	% Above or Below May Quota	State	July Quota	May Sales	% Above or Below May Quota
Alabama	\$7,881,000	\$5,286,000	+39.6	New York	\$171,596,000	\$106,671,000	+14.7
Arizona	2,945,000	1,966,000	+44.8	No. Carolina	12,153,000	8,190,000	+39.1
Arkansas	5,079,000	3,556,000	+32.6	North Dakota	3,112,000	2,059,000	+47.8
California	61,687,000	41,225,000	+3.0	Ohio	55,151,000	35,899,000	+13.0
Colorado	8,840,000	4,327,000	+5.9	Oklahoma	8,855,000	5,389,000	+9.8
Connecticut	23,534,000	15,518,000	+24.9	Oregon	9,865,000	5,676,000	+1.2
Delaware	2,637,000	1,640,000	-11.4	Pennsylvania	81,050,000	53,514,000	-6
Dist. Columbia	6,250,000	5,958,000	-3.6	Rhode Island	6,938,000	4,404,000	+17.7
Florida	9,842,000	6,716,000	+15.9	South Carolina	4,320,000	3,097,000	+26.3
Georgia	9,797,000	6,439,000	+20.0	South Dakota	2,404,000	1,731,000	+39.7
Idaho	3,375,000	2,208,000	+52.2	Tennessee	10,092,000	6,484,000	+26.1
Illinois	84,925,000	52,227,000	+5.9	Texas	33,677,000	22,479,000	+20.9
Indiana	18,600,000	14,910,000	+10.2	Utah	2,879,000	2,051,000	+71.3
Iowa	15,000,000	13,870,000	+54.1	Vermont	2,188,000	1,449,000	+20.3
Kansas	8,073,000	5,290,000	+14.6	Virginia	12,698,000	9,092,000	+1.4
Kentucky	9,504,000	6,177,000	+11.1	Washington	13,415,000	11,082,000	+46.2
Louisiana	8,623,000	5,875,000	+18.8	W. Virginia	6,111,000	4,062,000	+1.1
Maine	6,364,000	4,146,000	+25.8	Wisconsin	19,265,000	12,280,000	+2.5
Maryland	13,535,000	8,302,000	-7.6	Wyoming	1,519,000	984,000	+1.9
Massachusetts	46,144,000	28,738,000	+21.2	Alaska	738,000	492,000	+148.5
Michigan	39,480,000	26,240,000	+21.2	Canal Zone	321,000	(No Report)	+503.3
Minnesota	19,580,000	12,574,000	+27.3	Hawaii	8,439,000	5,865,000	+14.5
Mississippi	5,343,000	3,698,000	+27.3	Puerto Rico	296,000	183,000	.....
Missouri	27,627,000	15,713,000	+9.6	Virgin Islands	16,000	(No Report)	.....
Montana	3,222,000	2,186,000	+39.7	Unallocated	\$7,000,000*		
Nebraska	7,235,000	4,580,000	+19.1	*Not distributed by States.			
Nevada	1,035,000	692,000	+14.4	Total	\$1,000,000,000	\$634,356,000	+5.7
N. Hampshire	3,250,000	2,168,000	+14.4				
New Jersey	35,247,000	22,889,000	+14.4				
New Mexico	1,771,000	1,165,000	+12.3				

Henry Morgenthau Jr., Secretary of the Treasury, today made public the official War Bond Quotas by States for the month of July, which places the nation on a Billion-dollar-a-month basis to aid in meeting the War cost. The above table also gives May War Bond sales in the various states in comparison to the May Quotas. (June sales by states will be available for publication shortly.) The percentage of Quotas range from 71.3 percent above quota in Utah, to 22.6 percent below the quota in Montana, but puts the nation as a whole above the \$600,000,000 total May quota. Vulnerable Alaska and Hawaii led all states in sale of War Bonds on quota basis.

"Everybody, every pay day ten percent" is the Treasury slogan which is expected to place one of the attractive new window stickers in every American home. "We're Buying at Least 10%" reads the sticker, printed in the national colors. The new window stickers and the new "10%" button, which indicates that the wearer is investing at least ten percent of his income in War Bonds every pay day, are yardsticks of patriotism in the War Bond Drive.

U. S. Treasury Department







## The SNAPSHOT GUILD

### VACATION PHOTOGRAPHY



It pays to make vacation snapshot close-ups, like this appealing picture of one happy "summer visitor."

SUMMER vacation time is no longer just around the corner. It has begun already. But the big question still is, "How can I make good pictures of my vacation?"

The answer to that can be found in two words: preparation and planning. What they stand for represents photographic insurance against disappointments or failure.

Preparation for picturing your vacation is just as important as preparation for a canoe or pack trip into the deep woods. Begin by giving your camera a thorough cleaning. Polish the lens with a soft lintless cloth or lens tissues. Dust out the bellows and interior of the camera. If there's anything wrong with your camera get it fixed so that it won't spoil any of your vacation snapshots.

Finally make sure you're well stocked with film. Take at least a

half dozen rolls with you. You may also want to carry some accessories such as a filter and tripod, but don't burden yourself with much more equipment. Make it a habit to travel light.

When your vacation begins and the picture making starts, plan to do three things. First, count on taking lots of pictures and then selecting the best for your permanent collection. Second, plan to make your pictures tell a story. And third, resolve that you will take more close-ups of people.

When you approach picture making that way, you'll find that it's easy to create a complete picture story of your vacation. Just use common sense photographic technique, record step by step the things you see and do, and you'll end up with a revealing, interesting, and detailed snapshot record of your vacation.

John van Guilder

## THIS BUSINESS

OF  
*Living*  
BY  
SUSAN THAYER



### Letter to a German Hausfrau

You used to envy us women in America, I've been told, "meine Frau." In the old days you heard quite a lot about the conveniences we had in our comfortable houses—bathing, white bath tubs, for one thing. How you would have loved one and a big sink in your kitchen! You sometimes sighed, thinking of our vacuum cleaners and our electric fans. Such help would have spared you hours of drudgery, each week.

You marvelled, too, at our many automobiles. But even in your wildest dreams I doubt if you could imagine loading your children into a big shiny car and going off for a day in the country without the protection and domination of your husband! German women, even before Hitler, knew very little of the independence and freedom that our way of life gave the women in America long ago. You were supposed to confine your activities to the church, the kitchen, and the nursery while so many of us had found independence in community activities and well-paying jobs. But then, people always said that America spoiled her women.

Now, in harassed Germany, what are you thinking about us? We aren't putting in any new bath tubs these days, and perhaps you have heard that we're not even making automobiles. We seldom go off with the kids for an all-day picnic, and

a good many of them ends of us are working in factories.

But we're still the most fortunate women on the face of this tortured globe! Our free air is trial system, which used to produce so many pleasant, useful things, is now turning out our equipment in formidable quantities. We our lives are so full of how much, and you would be satisfied if you knew the half of it. It means, of course, that we're going to win this war. In spite of your years of forced preparation, in spite of your early victories, the armies that are made up of and equipped by free men and women are going to come out on top and dictate the peace.

But never mind, my friend. Between you and me our victory is going to be the best thing for you, too. The people who get the worst of it in a totalitarian country are, as you well know, women who are pushed back into the kind of slavery we outgrew 500 years ago. When we win this war it's going to be better for everybody, and you, no longer oppressed by your government will find hope again. And some day, we believe, you're going to have not only political freedom but that freedom from poverty and toil that free industry in a modern world can so easily provide.

## EAST BETHEL

Everyone is hustling to get hay during the good weather. Mr. and Mrs. David Foster have named their little son, John Daniel Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Farwell and two sons were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Burchard Russell of Hanover and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Farwell attended the funeral services of their aunt, Mrs. Mehitable McAllister, in Lovell, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. S. Hastings, Barbara, Billy and Edward Hastings were guests of Mrs. George Cole in Greenwood and Upton.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haines were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Curtis and daughter, Maude, and Mrs. Shirley Brown of Poland. Mr. and Mrs. Granville Burns of Portsmouth, N. H., were Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. S. B. Newton.

John Fifield who spent the winter with his sister, Mrs. Millett, in South Paris is now staying with his nephew, W. S. Hastings, and assisting G. K. Hastings & Sons with their farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Noyes, Marilyn and Carolyn Noyes, Mr. and Mrs. James Haines, Nancy and Peter Haines called on Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haines and family in Greenwood Sunday.

Mrs. Carl H. Swan and son, Clayton, and daughter, Betty, of Hartford, Conn., arrived Tuesday to visit her father, C. H. Reed, until after the Fourth of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moose were Sunday guests of her sister, Mrs. Charles Smith and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Harrington. Their daughter, June, was last week's guest of Mrs. Smith and remained for another week.

## MILTON

Mrs. Wilfred Lord and children, Hope and Wayne, of Washington D. C., have arrived to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Millett.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec Miller and Lois McGuire spent the week end with relatives in Skowhegan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Poland and Shirley and Clayton visited their daughter, Wilma, at Bethel Inn where she is waitress, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Florence Burnum went to Gorham, Sunday, where she will attend summer school.

Pvt. Edward Poland from Fort Monmouth, Red Bank, N. J., who is at home for three days furlough called on his uncle, Charles Poland, and family, Sunday evening.

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## SUGAR RATIONING

By Ethel A. Walsh

Home Demonstration Agent

"Lie about the amount of sugar you need for canning. It doesn't matter!" I heard one woman say. An authority on economics said, recently, that "inflation" would tear us apart worse than if Hitler should invade our shores. Why do I mention rationing and inflation in the same breath? Because effective rationing will help to prevent inflation or disastrous rises in prices.

Skyrocketing prices hurt everyone! Your dollar buys less food, less clothes, less of the things you and your family need. Your income, savings, and insurance are not as much. Your government has to pay more for war materials and equipment—more for Victory!

Later, when prices fall from their dizzy heights, men lose their jobs. Farmers lose their land. Business firms fail. Everyone is worse off. That happened after World War I. We must sacrifice to make every aspect of price control work, or we will have "inflation."

Another person said, "All this rationing business is making liars of us all." Oh, no, not all! It is testing the honesty of American people. With 6,000,000 men in our armed forces and more being drafted, it is not possible to have an efficient police force checking and correcting the word and conduct of civilians. And should it be necessary?

Another said, "There are warehouses full of sugar. Why should we sacrifice?" Is the source of information authentic or is not that a rumor to please Hitler and the Japs? Every boatload of sugar that is shipped in endangers the lives of American seamen. Alcohol is necessary to make smokeless powder and alcohol is made from sugar. Ask only for as much as you really need!

This is how to figure the amount. If you can a great deal, about the maximum amount of fruit canned per person in your family is 36 1/2 quarts. This amount also is according to the requirements for a good diet. The ration amount is 1 lb. for 4 finished quarts of fruit; therefore a practical amount of sugar to allow for canning for one person would be 9 lbs. If there are five in the family, that would make 45 lbs. of sugar for canning. A pound per person per year is allowed besides for preserves, jams, jellies, sweet pickles, and fruit butters. Only this small amount is allowed because these require more sugar in preparation and their nutritional value is "nil" when you get through.

Besides being honest about the amount of sugar you need, keep in mind the fact that rationing board are made up of volunteer workers, and are doing a big job for Uncle Sam.

## BRYANT'S MARKET

WATERMELONS	whole 79c	halves 45c
Red Ripe TOMATOES	lb 15c	
Jersey White CELERY	bunch 17c	
Native Iceberg LETTUCE	2 heads 17c	
Native CABBAGE	lb. 5c	
IGA SOAP GRAINS 2 lge. pkgs.	37c	
TEX WAX	lb. pkg. 15c	
CERTO	8 oz. bot. 23c	
Hudson PAPER NAPKINS 2 pkgs.	17c	
IGA VIENNA SAUSAGE 2 tins	27c	
IGA MUSTARD	2 9 oz. jars 19c	
BACON	lb 35c	
MILK	3 tall cans 25c	
BISCUIT FLOUR	49 oz. 28c	
WHEATIES	2 pkgs. 31c	
GRAPENUTS	12 oz. pkg. 13c	
FLY COILS	2 pkgs. 19c	
AMMONIA	qt. bot. 17c	
SIFTED PEAS	2 cans 37c	
SWEET POTATOES	can 18c	
FLOUR	24 1/2 lb. bag \$1.17	

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## STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-two, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said June. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of July, A. D. 1942, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Ernest M. Walker, late of Bethel, deceased; First and final account presented for allowance by Carroll S. Mitchell, Conservator.

Eliphalet B. Whitney, late of Bethel, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Lizzie L. Whitney, executrix.

Albert H. Gibbs, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Flora B. Gibbs as administratrix of the estate of said deceased with bond, presented by Flora B. Gibbs, widow and statutory heir.

Melvina C. Abbott, late of Upton, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Gerard S. Williams, Admr. d. b. n. c. t. a.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.  
EARLE R. CLIFFORD Register. 29

## PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:—

William B. Bartlett, late of Bethel, deceased; Fannie H. Bartlett of Bethel, Executrix without bond, June 18th, 1942.

George W. Day, late of Woodstock, deceased; Ernest C. Day of Bryant Pond, Executor without bond, June 16, 1942.

William Francis Swan, late of Hanover, deceased; Clarence G. Howe of Greenwood, Admr. C. T. A. with bond, May 26, 1942.

W. Ashby Tibbets, late of Bethel, deceased; Raymond R. Tibbets of Bethel, Administrator with bond, June 16, 1942.

## Dr. Lariviere Porous Plasters

For over half a century have been known as the most effective remedy for muscular pain due to strain or cold. The soothing plaster acts on the inflammation from the skin, thus relieving the pain.

Indicate Dr. Lariviere Plasters at your doctor's.



## TO THE RESCUE



## OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH NOTES

Services of the Watford Federated Parish will be held next Sunday and during the following weeks at the Watford Church. The hour of service is 11:15. Next Sunday will be Communion Sunday.

Sunday School at Albany has started again. Sunday School at 10:45, and the Church Service follows at 11:00. Mr. and Mrs. Pickett are occupying Nancy Andrews' house and are helping with the work at Albany.

The morning services at Center Lovell are at 11:15; and at East Stoneham and North Watford, at 9:45. Next Sunday for these Churches will be Communion Sunday.

Remember that the Albany Circle will be ready for you with a good supper, at Thursday evening. Will hope to see you there.

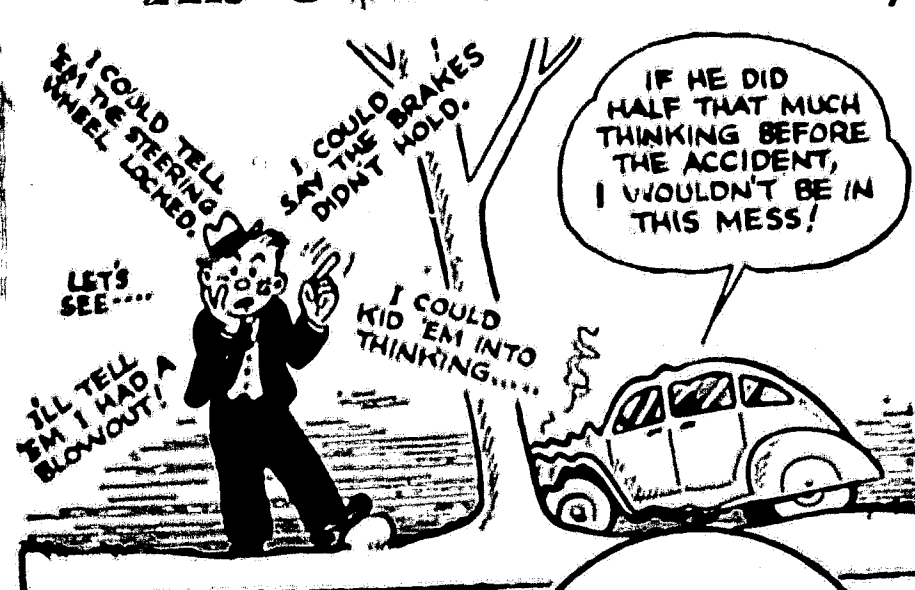
On Tuesday evening the Pilgrim Fellowship welcomed their new members throughout the Parish with a lively social at East Stoneham. The promise for many new members next fall is bright.

For many years Mrs. Wentworth Harrison of Maplewood, N. J., has spent her summers at Watford, and her friends have been saddened to learn that she passed away at her home in New Jersey last week. The committal service was held at the Cemetery in South Watford, Tuesday morning. We extend our sympathy to her bereaved family.

We are sorry, indeed, to lose such a fine old member of the Christian Church at Center Lovell as we did in the passing of Mrs. Mehitabel McAllister of West Lovell. Mrs. McAllister has been especially vigorous for one of her advancing years, and her death comes as a shock. Our hearts go out in loving sympathy to her children and grandchildren.

**MRS. MEHITABEL McALLISTER**  
Mrs. Mehitabel McAllister died very suddenly Friday at her home at West Lovell. She was born on Farwell Hill, Bethel, Nov. 23, 1861, the daughter of Barbour B. and Sarah Brown Farwell, and was the last surviving member of her family. She was educated in the local schools and Gould Academy.

## Motorist Shown to be His Own Worst Enemy

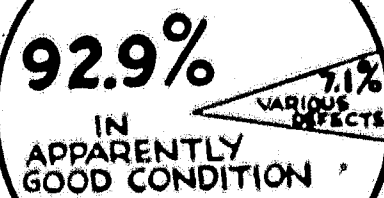


Drivers have only themselves to blame for most automobile accidents. In 1941 that fact was even more clearly evident than usual. More than 92 per cent of the 46,700 cars involved in fatalities on the nation's highways last year were in apparently good condition when the accidents occurred.

Human rather than mechanical failure was the principal cause of motor vehicle mishaps. It revealed itself chiefly in excess speed, carelessness, and inattention, according to "The Wreckard," a new booklet of street and highway accident data published by The Travelers Insurance Company as a contribution to the cause of street and highway safety.

One bright spot in what is otherwise the darkest picture of automobile accidents in history was a sharp and gratifying drop in the number of fatalities and in-

juries caused by glaring headlights. There was no significant change in the totals of accidents caused by defective brakes or steering mechanism, tail lights which were obscured or had gone out, punctures or blowouts, unlighted headlights, and other defects. Altogether, though, accidents from these causes amounted to less than seven per cent of the 1,589,000 analyzed.



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The Bethel News, 1895  
The Rumford Citizen, 1906

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THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1942

"The price for civilization must be paid in hard work and sorrow and blood. The price is not too high. If you doubt it, ask those millions who live today under tyranny." Douglas MacArthur.

Bethel and probably every community has among its citizens those who regard themselves as sufficiently patriotic. They are buying war bonds, their flag is flying high, but still the war is for somebody else to fight. Their bonds are an investment—not a gift or expense or hardship. They have convinced themselves and those who granted gasoline ration cards that they required as much gasoline as they ever had, or they patronized a dealer who does not bother to punch the card. They say there is plenty of rubber anyway so why believe the stories of shortages and any way bootleg tires are easy to get. And so on—

Now this kind of citizen is not doing his part. And he regards as suckers those who are trying sincerely to do their part. In fact those who deliberately and continually seek to evade such regulations as are now in effect is doing a real service for the enemy.

We do not contend that all is ideal in these recent plans and rulings. We are glad that we can have our own theories and can still criticize our government. We do believe however that it is the duty of all of us to cooperate with the efforts of the administration to conserve the nation's resources, even if it is not necessary.

No privations have been asked of the American people. We know that the progress of the last few years has left us soft. Why not have grit enough to do our part and like it.

She married Zakus McAllister of Lovell who passed away a few years ago, and her married life was spent at West Lovell. Since her husband's death she has lived with her son, Byron, and family.

Mrs. McAllister was one who enjoyed her home life and took pride in her flower and vegetable gardens.

Surviving are three sons, Byron of West Lovell, Ralph of Lovell, and Webster of Portland; seven grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at her late home Sunday afternoon and burial was at West Lovell.

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas, our Heavenly Father has, in His great wisdom, called Home one of our Worthy Brothers, Sumner Davis.

Resolved, that the removal of this faithful Brother, a past Master of our Order, be felt as a great loss to Bear River Grange.

Resolved, that our sincere sympathy be extended to his wife and children in their great affliction.

Resolved, that our Charter be draped in memory of our departed Brother.

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon our records. A copy be presented to the bereaved family and a copy sent to the Oxford County Citizen for publication.

Ernest L. Holt  
C. F. Saunders  
E. E. Bennett

Committee

## The Home Front

By Mrs. Julia Kiene  
Westinghouse Home Economist

## Washday In Wartime

And now chlorine has gone to war! It is needed for explosives and airplane windshields among other things and there will be considerably less for household use. But cheer up, the government predicts that our clothing will no doubt last much longer once we learn all over again to depend on sunshine and good washing methods as a whiten'er. In brushing up on my own washing methods, I find that keeping my laundry equipment in good running condition helps to take the blues out of washday.



Mrs. Kiene

An electric washer should be drained immediately after washing in it. Rinse the tub thoroughly and remove the agitator and suction cups and rinse. Remove any soap curd or lint that sticks to the tub, agitator or suction cups with a soft cloth. If you have an automatic-type washer, clean the lint trap after each week's washing.

Remember, wringer rolls are rubber and should be treated accordingly. Release the pressure when through using, then wipe them dry and cover them up. That saves the rubber and the spring.

Clean the bottom of your iron with a damp cloth after each using. Wait until it is cool, and be quite sure it is cold before putting it away. Don't let the iron cord touch the hot iron and don't drop the iron. Once a month or so, rub the sole plate with a good grade of paraffin or beeswax and wipe it off on paper or cloth. If it is very soiled, or starch has stuck to it, sprinkle some salt on a newspaper and run the iron over it. If it's scratched, wipe with a damp cloth when cool, or if necessary use a mild abrasive or fine steel wool.

## MENU

\*Pot Roast with Potatoes and Carrots  
Brown Gravy  
Wilted Lettuce Bread and Butter  
Fresh Fruit Ginger Cookies  
Chilled Cocoa Coffee  
\*Pot Roast with Potatoes and Carrots Recipe

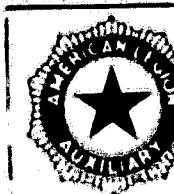
4 pounds beef (this can be a chuck, shoulder, or elod cut of beef)  
Salt, pepper and flour

2-inch cube salt pork  
2 1/2 cup hot water  
Carrots, potatoes onions

1. Rub meat with flour into which has been mixed salt and pepper. In a skillet fry out the salt pork which has been cut into small cubes. That means to heat the skillet, add small cubes of salt pork, and the grease from pork will melt out. Don't let the pork scorch, so turn down heat. Better use Medium heat on electric range. When there is sufficient grease in the skillet, place meat in hot grease and brown on all sides. If using electric range, place meat in Economy Cooker, add 1/2 cup water, with Switch set on High. Just as soon as steam escapes, turn switch to Low. For any other type range, the meat may be placed in a large kettle, and cooked on the surface, or placed in a covered casserole and cooked in the oven at 250°.

One hour before ready to serve, add vegetables, and it is advisable to add additional salt to the vegetables. In the electric range, are added, and when steaming again turn switch to Low to finish cooking. When cooking on any range other than electric, it may be necessary to add more water to prevent burning.

Next Week: Cold Facts about what to keep in your Refrigerator.



AMERICAN  
LEGION  
AUXILIARY  
NEWS

## JACKSON-SILVER UNIT, No. 68

Legion and Auxiliary members of Jackson-Silver Post who attended the annual convention were Commander Lester Tebbets, Delegate-at-Large Fannie Cummings, Adjutant and Mrs. Lamb, Comrade and Mrs. Charles Clifford, Past Commander and Mrs. Barrett, Past Commander and Mrs. Levi Smith.

The highlight of the convention was the joint meeting on Saturday morning when they were privileged to hear addresses by Governor Sewall, John Thomas Taylor and Brigadier General Frank E. Lowe who told the assembly that in order to win the war, it would be necessary to eliminate entirely both Germany and Japan. We must be tough to do this and he hoped, not too ethical.

Department Membership Chairman Fannie Cummings was elected to the office of Department

President and Celia Lamb was appointed a member of the State Finance Committee.

At the next regular meeting on Friday, July 3, a full report of the convention will be given and important business will be taken up. This is the first meeting since the officers were installed and the only July meeting and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance. The Locke Mills Boy Scout Troop, sponsored by this Post, will receive their Merit Badges at this meeting.

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

The relentless scythe of the grim reaper has invaded our ranks and taken our Brother, Arthur G. Stearns, who departed this life April 27, 1942.

Resolved: That in the death of Brother Stearns, Bear River Grange has lost a faithful member; one who was ever faithful to the principles, and tried to carry out the obligations to which he pledged his honor.

Resolved: That to his family, Bear River Grange extends its heartfelt sympathy.

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our departed Brother; a copy be placed on the records of our Grange; and a copy published in the Bethel Citizen.

F. I. French  
Minnie Bennett  
Committee on Resolutions

## BUSINESS CARDS

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## People



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Phillies won, 3-2.



## People, Spots In The News



**HICKORY BIKE**—Pretty Marie McDonald, motion picture starlet, rides a non-priorities bicycle. It is of ancient vintage and made mostly of hickory.

**MARS MEN**—Civilian defense workers of Alameda, Calif., don new "faces" in gas mask drill. With Japs using gas in China, the coast is preparing for any eventuality.



**BOMBER SKIN**—As Nazis feel the weight of growing Allied air strength, aluminum sheet for still more planes rolls out of vast southeastern plant of Aluminum Co. of America at 25 times the pre-1939 rate. Even this will be doubled.



**GRIM PRACTICE**—Spouting sand marks path of real machinegun bullets a few feet from the heads of British commandos in training "somewhere in England." Commandos play rough, even in training.



**YEAST AT WAR**—Forces of United Nations depend on a home front army of microscopic yeast cells. "Trained" by scientists like this member of Schenley Research Institute, New York, these minute soldiers aid in converting grain to ethyl alcohol, vital in producing smokeless gunpowder.



**S-S-L-I-I-D-E**—Phillies catcher, Ben Warren (right) nabs Cardinal Frank "Creepy" Crespi at home plate. Stan Benjamin whipped the ball to Warren as Crespi tried to complete circuit from second. Phillies won, 3-2.

## GILEAD

Miss Helen Daniels of Portland spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Harriette Fiset.

J. W. Jordan spent the week-end at his home in Stratford, N. H.

Miss Attie Jewett has returned to Portland after being called here by the illness and death of her aunt, Miss Alma Heath.

Mrs. Ada Cole and Miss Mildred Heath were visitors in Bethel, Tuesday.

Mrs. Florence Holden was a guest of friends in Gorham, N. H., Tuesday.

Miss Shirley Bennett was a recent guest of friends in Cumberland.

Mrs. Charlotte Adams and Miss Bertha Morse of Plymouth, N. H., was in town recently.

## NORTH NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Soule and children, Caroline and William, of Burlington, Vt., have been spending several days at their camp in Grafton Notch.

The Selectmen have been in session for the past week making taxes.

Miss June Enman is in Boston, where she has employment.

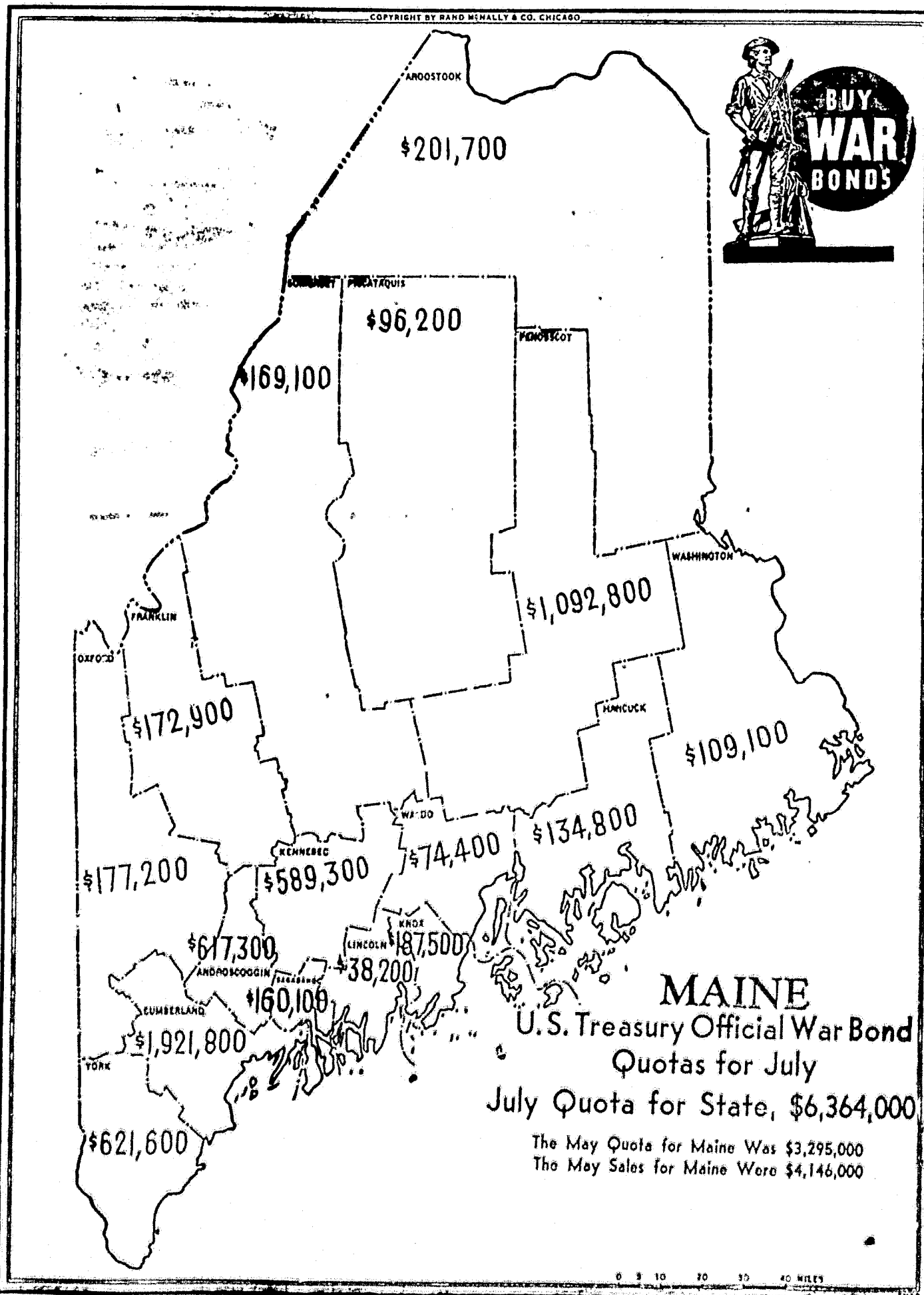
Mrs. L. E. Wight has returned from the Rumford Community Hospital.

## British Plane



Miss Delma Ross has returned to her duties at Mrs. F. W. Wight's and daughter, Elizabeth, of Malden, Mass., have arrived at their camp here.

## OFFICIAL U. S. TREASURY WAR BOND QUOTAS FOR JULY



The above map of Maine shows the War Bond quotas, by counties, for the month of July, 1942. Total War Bond quota for the state is \$6,364,000. With the National quota total placed at a billion dollars, the nation goes into high gear in its support of the War financing and to give our fighting forces adequate implements of war which will bring ultimate Victory. American Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and Airmen are on every front. They are giving 100 percent for their country. What are we doing here on the home front? Are we lending at least ten percent of income to help them? It's very little. But to fight this war successfully our country needs a billion dollars in War Bonds every month from us—the People. Let's Go, America.

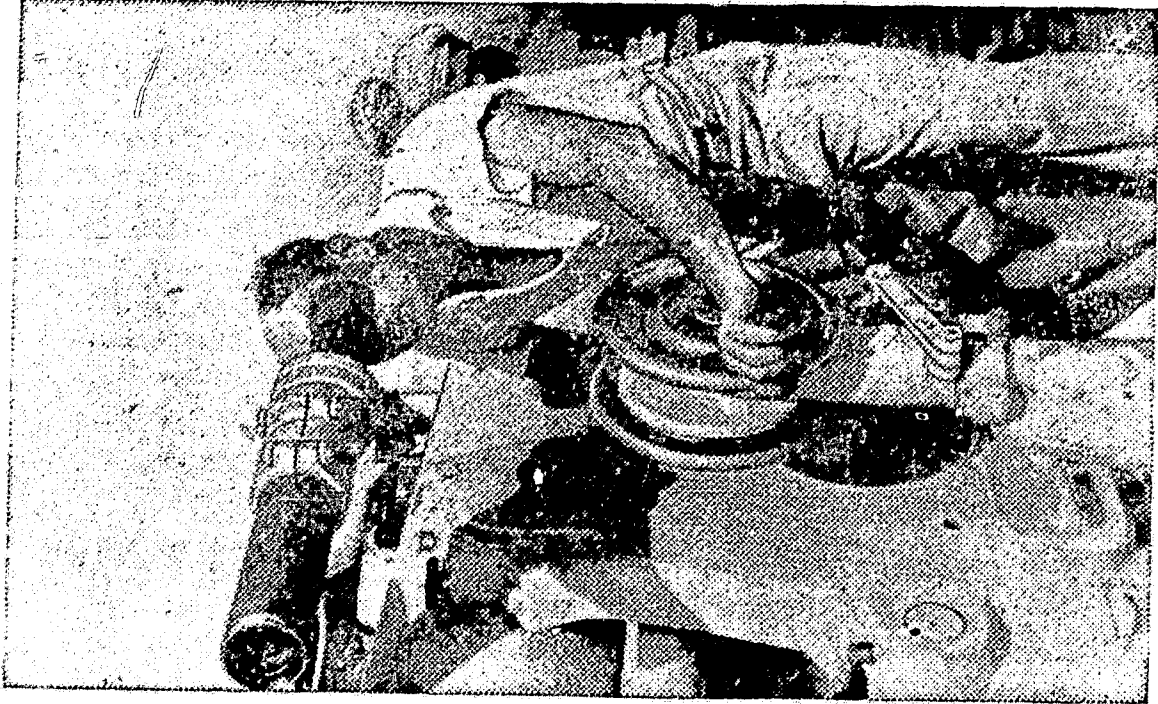
U. S. Treasury Department



# INVADED FOR TWO YEARS HOLLAND IS STILL UNBEATEN



NEW Dutch destroyers are cooperating with the Allied Fleet off England, in the Mediterranean and in the Far East.



TWO and one-half million tons of armed Dutch merchant ships now are conveying supplies to the Allied forces.

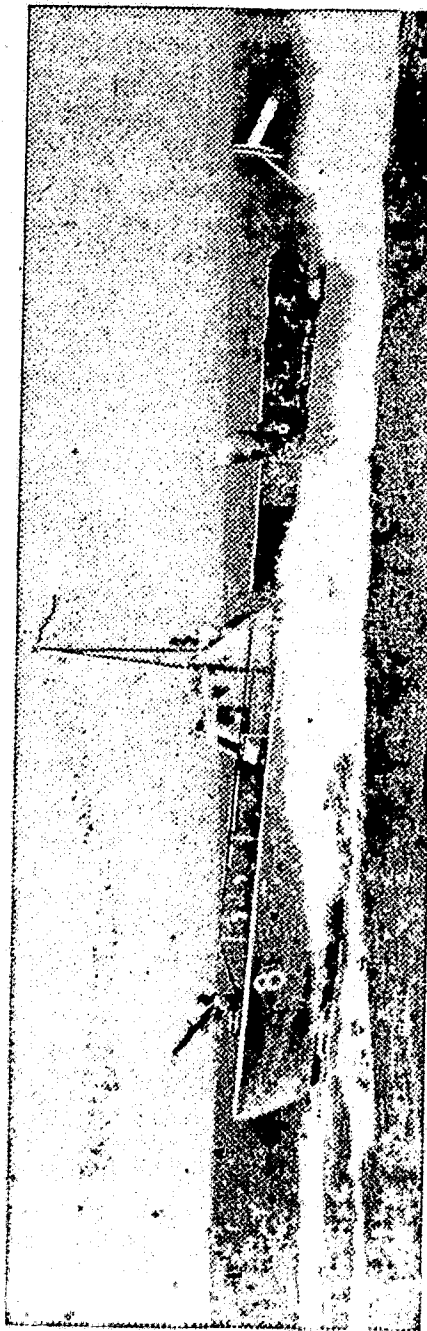
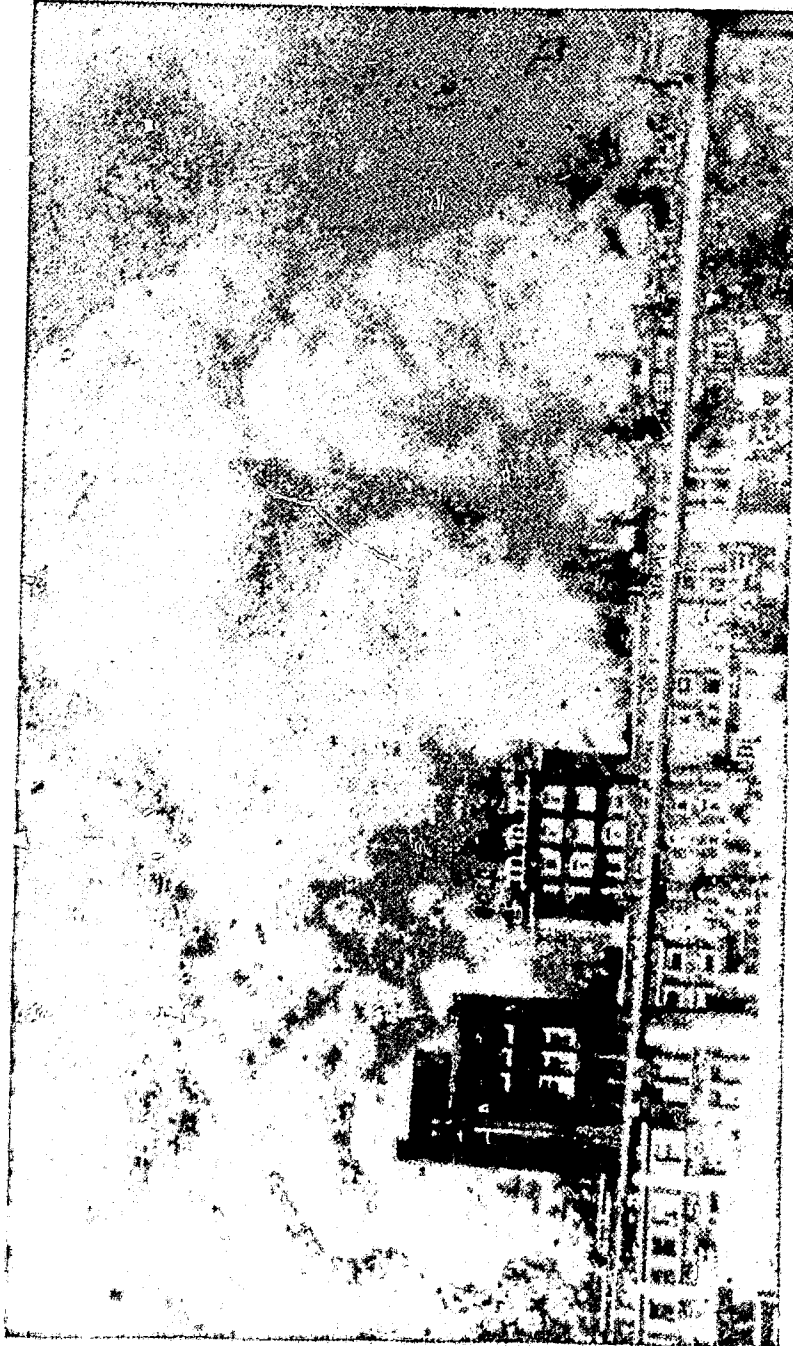
## THE PEACEFUL DUTCH FIGHT ON

BACKED BY A TREMENDOUS air armada and the usual Nazi trickeries, German invaders overwhelmed Dutch opposition and occupied Holland in five days. Even after formal capitulation, German bombers sowed a train of death and destruction through one of Holland's principal cities. The object was to break Dutch resistance once and for all.

Now two years have passed since the German invasion. Finance and business have been incorporated into the needs of the German Reich. All papers are Nazi-controlled; all schools teach Nazi racial theories and German interpretations of history; religion is treated as something that can be done without; workers are being geared to Hitler's war machine. This is the "New Order." But also after two years, the Dutch have remained solidly behind their Queen Wilhelmina. Less than one per cent of the entire population has joined the so-called Dutch Nazi party. All German promises and collaboration efforts have met with nation-wide passive and open resistance. Dutchmen at home or fighting with their Allies, have borne out the conviction of one of their leading statesmen, E. N. Van Kleffens, who said: "A nation which for centuries has been used to free institutions, never loses the taste of them."



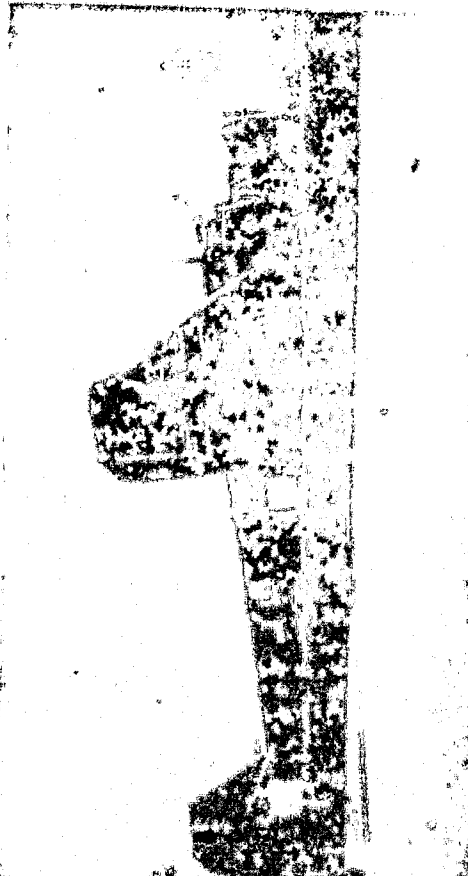
IF HOLLANDERS, like the people of England, after a day's work in the yard or in the office, had not seen a war since 1914.



AT 8 D.A.S. AND NIGHTS the city of Rotterdam was swept by an inferno of fire, smoke, ruin and death. But even as Germans marched into Holland's cities, Dutch soldiers were assembling in Britain, and naval craft were entering British ports to renew the struggle.



WAR came suddenly, and with it indiscriminate bombing. Century-old churches were piled in seconds. Today Catholics and Protestants are united vs. Nazis.



Small Dutch air force fought bravely, often to the death, and many German planes crashed on coasts they meant to bomb.

### GROVER HILL

Mr. and Mrs. James Goodrich celebrated their daughter's wedding a few days last week. They were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Goodrich and baby. Mr. and Mrs. John Goodrich and children, all of Portsmouth, N. H.

M. A. Jordan and grandson, Phineas M. Jordan, of Mr. Fells, called on Mrs. M. P. Tyler last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Buck of Newark called on friends here one day last week.

### SUNDAY RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mundt and family passed Sunday with relatives in Westbrook.

Mrs. Jeanette Trofethorn from Portsmouth is this week's guest of Mrs. C. L. Whisman.

Harold Enman and wife were at their camp Thursday.

Charles Frost spent Wednesday in Bethel village.

A mouse is walking around in this vicinity.

Louise Spinnery spent the week with Mrs. James Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foster were called to Kingston, N. H., by the death of their niece, Mrs. Mahel Royce.

Roger Reynolds visited his parents, Wednesday.

Church Service was held at the Lower Sunday River school house last Sunday at 2 o'clock with Rev. Scruton, pastor.

M. Marshall has gone home to do his haying.

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### BRYANT POND

Mrs. Inez Whitman, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Swan and daughter, Arlene, Mrs. Inez Whitman and daughters, Edith and Clara Whitman, spent last Saturday in Oakland guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Clifford Taylor and family.

Rev. James MacKillop and wife and daughter, Thelma, returned home last Saturday from Ocean Park where they were a few days attending the Northern Baptist Convention.

Miss Idella Fuller of Bath is having a vacation from her work and is visiting her father, Herman Fuller, and sister, Mrs. Maxine Ferren, and brother, Lloyd Fuller, and family.

### JOSEPH N. PENNETON

Joseph N. Penneton, 80, died early Sunday morning after a short illness, at the home of his niece, Mrs. Lee Rowe.

He was born at Three Rivers, Quebec, December 11, 1861, the son of Zephisian and Marie Tendon Penneton. He came to Bryant Pond 56 years ago and had been employed at the Dearborn spool mill. He was a member of Jefferson Lodge F. and A. M. and Fraternal Lodge Knights of Pythias.

Two sisters, Mrs. Marianna Boliveau of Quebec and Mrs. Alphonsine Charbonneau of Montreal, survive.

Funeral services were held Monday at the Bryant Pond Baptist Church. Rev. James MacKillop officiating. Interment was at Lakeside Cemetery.

### EVANS-BROOKS

Miss Grace Brooks of Island Pond, Vermont and Otis Evans of Bryant Pond, were married June 13 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Brooks, with Rev. John Denman, pastor of the Congregational church performing the double ring service. Mrs. Rachel Bartlett, played the wedding marches and sang "I Love You Truly."

The bride wore a gown of flowered crepe and her corset was of white carnations. The matron of honor, Mrs. Lillian Barter, the bride's sister, wore beige crepe. Gardner Cole of Bryant Pond, Me., was best man.

A buffet luncheon followed the ceremony. Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Evans were tendered a reception at Franklin Grange, Bryant Pond, which Mr. Evans serves as master.

Mrs. Evans was graduated from Brighton high school. She is a member of the Congregational church, sang in the choir and is a past president of the Erastus Buck junior club. Mr. Evans, son of Mrs. Norman Wescott, Bethel, was graduated from Woodstock high school. Mr. and Mrs. Evans will make their home at Bryant Pond.

### NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Herman Cole and son, Richard, visited one day last week with her daughter, Mrs. O. Dudley.

Mrs. Emil Heikkinen and children, also her mother and sister visited one day last week with Mrs. Edgar Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott spent Sunday with relatives at Rumford.

Mrs. C. James Knight and children visited Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Frank Sweetser.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Buck were at Norway, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitman were at Norway, Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coffin and family were at Rumford on business one day last week.

It is understood that Walter Russ will soon go to Togus Veterans Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Day recently called at Walter Russ.

### ALBANY TOWN HOUSE

and Vicinity

Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Correspondent

Leon Kimball and son, Ivan, called at Harlan Bumpus' one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Thomas of Harrison were at Ray Lapham's, Sunday.

Mrs. Aubrey Cutcliffe of Prince Edward Island, Canada; Mrs. Earl Noyes and children of Jefferson, N. H.; and Mrs. Bernie Reid and children of Randolph, N. H. spent Thursday at Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hall's.

The 4-H Club held a Demonstration Thursday afternoon. Mr. Potter brought two girls from South Paris who demonstrated the "Value of Vitamin's in the Diet." Marion Lapham and Beverly Hall demonstrated "Making Holders" and Ray Lapham and Edwin Bumpus demonstrated the "Use and Display of the American Flag." Refreshments were served.

Mrs. L. J. Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lapham and son, Howard, were at the Rumford Hospital Wednesday afternoon, to see Mrs. Earl Keniston and infant daughter, Leona.

A. A. Bruce has returned from a few days' stay in Portland.

Clyde Hall was in Bethel, Thursday.

Mrs. Christine Rich and baby are staying at her mother's, while her husband is in New York.

Will Adams called at Cliff Pinkham's, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister and family spent Sunday afternoon at Clyde Hall's.

Tony and Norman Lapham, from Bath, are spending several weeks with relatives here.

Mrs. Bertha Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and family and Mrs. Charlie Stevens visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keniston at Bryant Pond, Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Lapham called on Laura Pinkham, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Prestole of Quincy, Mass., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lapham and son, Junior and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and family spent Saturday evening at Mr. and Mrs. McAllister's, Bethel.

Fred Pinkham and Howard Ingram are working on the road.

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### LOCKE MILLS

Mary Mills, Correspondent

MRS. RHODA GOSS  
Mrs. Rhoda Goss, who passed away at the C. M. G. hospital, June 23 was born at Andover, Maine fifty nine years ago.

Mrs. Goss, a widow, had lived in this town the greater part of her life and had been employed at the E. L. Tebbets Spool Mill for a long time. She was well liked by all who knew her. She is survived by a daughter, Lula Willey, two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Bartlett of Albany, and Mrs. Nancy Jodrey of Milan, N. H.; two brothers, Wesley Robinson of Berlin and Lucien Robinson of Ridgelyville and many other near relatives. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the Locke Mills Church with Rev. M. A. Gordon officiating. Bearers were Merle Lurvey, Alphonse Baker, Lester Tebbets and Herbert Day. Burial was in the cemetery at Locke Mills.

George Stowell of Andover is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swift.

Word has been received from Gordon Roberts that he is stationed at Fort Lewis, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Mills of Albany were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mills.

Mrs. Mildred Cummings and Miss Therese Coolidge left Tuesday morning for a few days visit at Hartford, Conn.

Arthur S. Cummings of Auburn visited Sunday with his sister, Mrs. L. B. Emmons. Mr. Cummings, President of the Rotary Club at Auburn, had just returned from Toronto where he had been as a delegate to a meeting of the Rotary Club.

Miss Betty White of Topsham has been a recent guest of Miss Evelyn Kimball.

Mrs. Edith Treblecock of Oxford is visiting with her uncle, Charles Mason, and family.

Mrs. Virgie McMillen of Bethel was in town Tuesday visiting with friends.

Mrs. Ella Cole and grandson, Richard Hutchinson, of Portland spent a few days recently at Mrs. Cole's home here.

Sgt. Dwight Martin arrived this morning (Tuesday) from Camp Shelby to spend a 10 day furlough with relatives.

### SONGO POND

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saunders and Mrs. Grace Kimball, Bethel called to see Mr. Ethel Child and daughter, Gloria, Monday evening.

Mrs. Maud Grindle and daughter Evelyn, spent Wednesday and Thursday with her daughter, Mr. Arthur Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle called at Mrs. Alice Rolfe's, Sunday evening, at No. Albany.

Arthur Kimball lost one of his old year's coat recently. It was found in the brook.

Miss Carline Stone of Lovell is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leona Kimball.

Miss Eleanor Kimball spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Florence Graves, Fryeburg.

Miss Pauline and Rebecca Philbrick of Bethel visited Eleanor Kimball, Monday afternoon.

Arthur Frisbett was called to Berlin, N. H., by the death of his father, but has returned to his work in the woods here again for A. B. Kimball.

### MIDDLE INTERVALE

Mrs. Bonnie and children came to Swan Hill, Saturday to spend a few weeks with her mother, Mr. Leona Buck. Mr. Bonnie spent the week end with them.

Albert Buck is working at the National Store.

Mrs. Lila Stearns and Mrs. Hugh Stearns and two children spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens.

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### SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Guyson Davis of Norwood, R. I., has come to make her home with Mr. Davis' father, G. W. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin McLaughlin and daughter, Eunice, and Master Percy Grant, all of Skowhegan, were week-end guests of his brother, Merlin McLaughlin, who has just returned from the Rumford Community Hospital and is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Andrews and daughter, Suzanna, are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woods, at Mulden, Mass.

Horatio Dunham from California called on A. M. Andrews recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Penley of Lewiston has been spending 10 days at Camp Eureka, Pleasant Pond, Sumner.

Miss Olive Hendrickson is working this summer at Paris Hill.

Pvt. Alva Titus of Keeler Field, Miss., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Titus, of South Paris, were Sunday callers of A. M. Andrews.

Mrs. Clorie Pingree of Bridgton is visiting Ruth Judkins and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis.

### UPTON

Mrs. O. A. Judkins, Correspondent Pearl Barnett, a student nurse at the Rumford Community Hospital, arrived home last week for a month's vacation.

Grace Edwards arrived in the Parish last week for the summer. She will serve as a student minister in the Parish.

Mrs. Selma Sanborn came home Sunday from a visit to Weld and Rumford. Addison Sanborn came with her for a visit at the home of O. A. Judkins.

Katharine Murphy of Rumford is visiting Ruth Judkins a few days this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Norman Scruton are entertaining guests from South Newbury, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pratt have gone to Dover, Mass., for a week's visit with their daughter, Mrs. H. Prescott Tucker, Jr.

Carris Angwine, who has been with relatives in Bethel for the last two weeks, has returned home.

**Advertising Speaks:**

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## BETHEL

Leroy Brown is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. Fannie Bartlett of Norway is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tift.

Lamona and Fielen Vance of Groton, Vt., are visiting Mrs. Horton Beck.

Mrs. Sidney Dyke returned last Thursday after visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Edith Clement and son, Larry, have gone to Kennebunkport for the summer.

Miss Mabel Shaw of Portland spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Lena Shaw.

Mrs. Parker Conner spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cotton at Mechanic Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. John Twaddle of Springfield, Mass., spent the week-end with Dr. W. B. Twaddle.

Mrs. W. H. Thurston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Whitman, and family at Norway.

Little Milan Conner visited his grandmother, Mrs. Ada Cotton, at Portland several days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Compass left Tuesday for Oquossoc where they have employment for the summer.

The "Herby Tift Orchestra" met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tift Tuesday evening for rehearsal.

Miss Margaret Carey of Woodstock visited her grandmother, Mrs. Edna Smith, over the week-end.

Mrs. James Brown and son of Auburn are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Brown this week.

Miss Barbara Lyon of Portland spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Lyon.

Mrs. W. H. Cornforth and Miss Helen Cornforth of Rocky Hill, Conn., are guests of Mrs. Richard Young.

Dr. R. R. Tibbets and Dr. E. L. Brown are guests at Boscobuck Camps, Wilson's Mills, for a few days.

Kimball Ames and daughter, Margaret, of Maplewood, N. J., are spending some time with friends in town.

Mrs. Ina F. Viner of Washington, D. C., is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Frank Bartlett and Mrs. Herbert Tift.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Loomis of Sherrill, N. Y., were guests of Mrs. Lena Shaw from Thursday to Monday.

Mrs. Fannie Briggs, who has been living with her daughter, Mrs. Erwin Hutchinson, has returned to Rumford.

Jack Maguire of Portland has been spending several days with Jerry Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Littlehale and daughter, Carole, are spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Lucion Littlehale.

Edward Hutchins of Brandon, Vt., and Charles Hutchins of Crown Point, N. Y., are spending the week-end in Bethel.

Mrs. Elizabeth Griffin returned last Friday from the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston. Mrs. Mary Carroll, R. N., is caring for her.

Miss Madeleine Hall returned Tuesday from Raymond, N. H., where she has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Custer Quimby.

Miss Esther Pike returned to her home at Waterford the last of the week after spending two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Martinson and two children of Groton, Mass., are staying at Emery's Camp, Locke Mills, while visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Scarborough, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Compass, Mrs. Mabel O'Brien, Mrs. Olive Lurvey, Mrs. Jane Van Den Kerckhoven, Mrs. Marjorie McAllister and Mrs. Selma Chapman attended the American Legion convention at Old Orchard last week-end. Milo McAllister and Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven were there Sunday.

## Snake in your grass



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### WITH THE 4-H CLUBS

The Crooked River Victory 4-H Club of Albany held a public 4-H meeting Thursday, June 25, at which time Edwin Bumpus and Ray Lapham gave a public demonstration on the Use and Display of the American Flag. Marion Lapham and Eleanor Kimball gave a demonstration on Holder Making. Also, during the afternoon program, Frances Ripley and Barbara Hammond, member of the So-Sews 4-H Club of South Paris, gave a demonstration on Health for Defense. Leader, Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, and assistant leader, Mrs. Jean Lapham, served refreshments of ice cream and cookies.

The Perkins Valley 4-H Club of South Woodstock met Wednesday evening, June 24, at the church school for their 27th meeting of the year. Walter Appleby Sr. read a letter from Director Arthur L. Deering regarding 4-H Food for Victory projects. He also discussed replanting of gardens where the heavy rains had washed the vegetables out. Leader, Mrs. Evelyn Appleby, urged all members to collect scrap rubber for Uncle Sam; the receipts will be turned into the club treasury. She also announced that she planned to visit each one of the projects within the next two weeks. A special meeting was arranged for the sewing girls to meet with Mrs. Emma Perham, the assistant leader.

The Jolly Workers 4-H Club of Bryant Pond, under the leadership of Mrs. Alice Dudley, met at the Grange Hall Wednesday, June 24, to work on sewing projects. It was voted to clean up the grange hall as a community service. The next meeting will be held July 8.

The Unceas 4-H Garden Club of Locke Mills held a club tour Wednesday, June 24, to visit members' projects. The tour was conducted by the leader, Carlton Lapham. Members' projects visited were: Calvin Coolidge, Robert Coolidge, Robert Swan, Harry Swan, Edward Dorion, Herman Cummings, Fred Mason and Raymond Swan. The next meeting will be held July 1 at which time a judging contest will be held by the club agent, Edwin Potter.

Mrs. Grace Macfarlane and daughter, Jacqueline, of Concord, N. H., are spending several days with her mother, Mrs. A. Van Den Kerckhoven.

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## CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, July 5

**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister  
11.00 a. m. Morning worship.  
Sermon subject, "The Highest Loyalty."

The Junior Congregation will meet and worship with us, retiring for their own service just before the sermon. It is hoped that there will be more children this Sunday. Visitors and summer guests are cordially welcome at our services.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
M. A. Gordon, pastor  
9.45 Church School. Mrs. Leona Swan, supt. Classes for all.

11.00 Sunday morning worship. Special singing by Church choir. Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist. Subject of sermon, "The Message of Christ." Regular short business meeting of church.

The First Quarterly Conference will be held Friday evening, July 3. The new District Superintendent, Rev. Elwin Wilson, will be present.

The Church School, Mothers' Club and the Women's Society of Christian Service will have a combined picnic at Songo Pond Thursday, July 9. Cars will leave the Church at 9:30 a. m.

What does it profit, my brethren, though a man say he hath faith, and have not works? Can faith save him? James 2: 14.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH**  
Sunday School at 10 o'clock.  
Services Sunday morning at 10.45.

"God" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 5.

**WEST BETHEL UNION CHAPEL**  
Rev. Don Fife, Minister

The Annual Vacation Church School of the West Bethel Union Chapel is scheduled for this coming week, July 6, 7 and 8. On these days the many young people in the Shelburne, Gilead and West Bethel communities will join in the activities which will consist of worship, story-telling periods, craft work, and recreation. The classes will meet for their opening session on Monday afternoon, July 6, from 2-4 o'clock. On Tuesday, July 7, from 10-12 and 1-3, and Wednesday, July 8, 10-12 and a final picnic program, 1-3 o'clock. The basis for this year's program will be "The Lord's Prayer" with the lessons being concerned with all phases of "Prayer."

The regular meeting of the Hi-School Fellowship will be held this coming week on Thursday at 7:30 and an evening of recreation will be enjoyed by all.

The theme for our Independence Day worship service this coming Sunday morning at 11 o'clock will be: "What Exalteth Your Nation?" In the evening, a special program is being planned honoring the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hutchinson. Let's continue the fine turnouts to our church's activities.



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Rev. Don Fife, Minister

Regular services of worship and prayer are being held every Sunday evening at the six o'clock hour in the Gilead Congregational Church. We urge more members and friends of the community to take advantage of their church.

The first Church School met last Wednesday at 11:15 with the following attending: Jean Frazer, Ruth Donahue, Howard Donahue, Daniel Cole, Merle Cole, and Raymond Baker. The school will not meet July 8, as the children of Gilead are being invited to attend the West Bethel Vacation Church School of July 6, 7, and 8. Its next session will be Wednesday, July 15, at 11:15.

### BIRTHS

At Madison, June 28, to the wife of Gordon Lathrop, formerly of Bethel, a daughter, Esther.

At Lovell, to the wife of Herbert Stone, a daughter, Judith Ann.

### MARRIAGES

At Island Pond, Vt., June 13, by Rev. John Denman, Miss Grace Brooks of Island Pond and Otis Evans of Bryant Pond.

At Lewiston, June 18, by Dr. Percy L. Vernon, Mrs. Marian A. Whitman and Clarence W. Buck, both of Norway.

### DEATHS

At Bryant Pond, June 28, Joseph N. Penmetton, aged 80 years.

In Rumford, June 28, Ernest A. Banker, aged 50 years.

At Norway, June 28, Miss Glida Wood, aged 14 years.

At Lewiston, June 23, Mrs. Rhoda Goss of Locke Mills, aged 59 years.

At West Lovell, June 26, Mrs. Mehitabel McAllister, aged 80 years.

At Maplewood, N. J., Mrs. Wentworth Harrison, a summer resident of Waterford.

At Bethel, July 1, Charles A. Austin, aged 78 years.

## BETHEL THEATRE

**Fri-Sat., July 3-4**  
**Tarzan's Secret Treasure**  
Johnny Weismuller

**Four Jacks and a Jill**  
Ray Bolger, Anne Shirley

**Sunday-Monday, July 5-6**  
**THE GREAT**  
Charlie Chaplin

**Tues-Wed., July 7-8**  
**RINGS ON**  
Henry Fonda Gene Tierney

**Fri-Sat., July 10-11**  
**DUDE COWBOY**  
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